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REQUEST FOR FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicants request a five-month extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) in which to respond the Office Action dated September 20, 2000. In lieu of a Response, a Continued Prosecution Application (CPA) is being filed concurrently. Enclosed is a check which covers the appropriate extension fee of \$1,890.00 based on large entity status.

Please charge any deficiencies or credit any overpayments to our Deposit Account No. 12-0080. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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